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| FOR: MEDICAL EQUIPMENT MANAGEMENT APPARATUS WHICH PREDICTS FUTURE STATUS OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT | : |

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated March 11, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.